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TAGS: PGOV, RW
SUBJECT: PARLIAMENT CONVENES IN SPECIAL SESSION

REF: A.) KIGALI 2269 B.) KIGALI 2392

1. THE RWANDAN PARLIAMENT CONVENED IN EXTRAORDINARY

SESSION JULY 27. ON THE AGENDA ARE TWO POINTS (INFORMAL
EMBASSY TRANSLATION FROM FRENCH):

--DEBATE ON THE QUESTIONS RAISED BY THE SECRETARY GENERAL
OF THE UN DURING HIS RECENT VISIT.

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--REFUGEES.

2. WE HAD HOPED THAT THE EXTRAORDINARY SESSION HAD BEEN CALLED TO EXAMINE A NEW LIST OF CANDIDATES FOR THE SUPREME COURT, BUT WE ARE TOLD THAT THE GOVERNMENT HAS NOT YET FINISHED WORK ON A NEW ROSTER.

3. CHARGE HELD A BRIEF CONVERSATION JULY 27 WITH A SENIOR OFFICIAL OF THE PARLIAMENT WHO WAS REMARKABLY CLOSE-MOUTHED ABOUT THE SESSION'S OBJECTIVES, GOING NO FURTHER THAN TO MENTION "SERIOUS POLITICAL PROBLEMS." REF A DISCUSSED PARLIAMENTARY REACTION TO THE SYG'S VISIT; REF B TOUCHED ON HATE BROADCASTS AND REVISIONIST HISTORY ALLEGEDLY EMANATING FROM THE REFUGEE CAMPS. WHALEY

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